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Dear Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the above-identified application:

- 1. Reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.111; and
- 2. Petition and Fee for Extension of Time.

Respectfully submitted,

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<u>PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION</u> OF TIME (35 U.S.C. §41(a)(8))

- 1) This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed March 22, 2005, for a period of one month.
- 2) Applicant is:

Verified Statement attached

Verified Statement filed

<u>X</u> other than small entity

3)	Extension (months)		Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
	<u>_X</u>	one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
		two months	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00
	·	three months	\$ 1020.00	\$ 510.00
		four months	\$ 1590.00	\$ 795.00
		five months	\$ 2160.00	\$1080.00

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4)	An a	An amendment;			
		is filed herewith has been filed			
5)	Fee	Fee Payment:			
		Attached is a check in the amount of \$			
	<u>x</u>	Please charge any additional fees required or credit any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 16-2463. A duplicate of this petition is attached.			

Respectfully submitted,

<u>D4-25-05</u> Date

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